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10/060,662	01/30/2002	Michael Mullican	VPI/99-07US CON

CONFIRMATION NO. 6730

FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

01 FC:101	740.00 CH
02 FC:103	252.00 CH
03 FC:104	280.00 CH
04 FC:105	130.00 CH
05 FC:107	234.00 CH

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$514.
 - \$234 for 13 total claims over 20.
 - \$280 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1384.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Mullican, et al.

Serial No.: 10/060,662 Group Art Unit: 1614

Filing Date: January 30, 2002 Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

For: ACYCLIC AND CYCLIC AMINE DERIVATIVES

Cambridge, Massachusetts
July 31, 2002

Commissioner For Patents
BOX MISSING PARTS
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO THE
NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith in response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application – Filing Date Granted, mailed March 1, 2002 in the above-identified application, are the following:

1. Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (1 pg);
2. Executed Declaration document (3 pgs);
3. Fee Transmittal for FY 2002 (1 pg);
4. Petition for a Three-month Extension of Time (1 pg);
5. Express Mail Cover Sheet (1 pg); and
6. return postcard

Applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0725 in the amount of \$2,322.00 pursuant to Rule 37 C.F.R. 1.36(a).

Applicants believe that no additional fees are due at this time. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 in connection with the papers transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of the same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0725. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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FEE TRANSMITTAL

for FY 2002

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$2,322.00)

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/060,662
Filing Date	January 30, 2002
First Named Inventor	Michael Mulligan
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Group Art Unit	1614
Attorney Docket No.	VPI/99-07 CON US

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

 Check Credit card Money Order Other None
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Vertex Pharmaceuticals

The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)

 Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments
 Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application
 Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	740		
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee			
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee			
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee			
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee			

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
34	-20** = 14	x 18.00	= 252	
3	-3** = 0	x 84.00	= 0	
		280	= 280	

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 532.00)

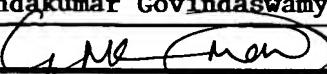
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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	130		
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification			
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month			
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	920		
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month			
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month			
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month			
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal			
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing			
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional			
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee			
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee			
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
126 180	126 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other fee (specify) _____					

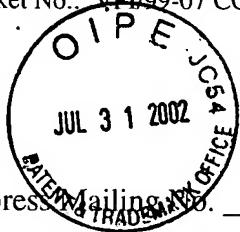
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 1,050.00)

SUBMITTED BY

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Signature				Date	July 31, 2002

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I hereby certify that the following documents:

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